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MEMORANDUM FOR:

[REDACTED]

SUBJECT:

Note on the Meeting of MC&G  
Working Group on 28 March 1969

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1. [REDACTED] called the meeting for the purpose of permitting members of the Working Group and a few additional senior officers of DIA within the MC&G area to view the North American Rockwell color TV film entitled "A View From Space" as produced by the ABC network. He introduced the showing by stating that Mr. Helms had asked that the Working Group be exposed to the film. He added that the problem of security would not be a subject for discussion.

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2. After the showing of the film [REDACTED] asked for any comments. [REDACTED] of CIA mentioned that a treaty was currently being consummated between the Department of State and [REDACTED] with regard to cooperation and exchange of information as earth resource satellite potentials materialize. It was later brought out that a similar treaty had been consummated or is under discussion with the Government of Brazil.

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3. Several of the viewers were interested in the maximum ground resolution obtainable from the photographic imagery shown. As you probably know, the ABC put together color imagery from not only the Apollo 9 cameras but also from cameras used in the earlier Apollo and Gemini flights [REDACTED] of NPIC said that his organization was studying this problem and that he felt that some of the photography approached the thresholds established for the NASA. He felt that ground resolutions of greater than 100 feet and possibly as high as 80 feet might be found in some of the imagery.

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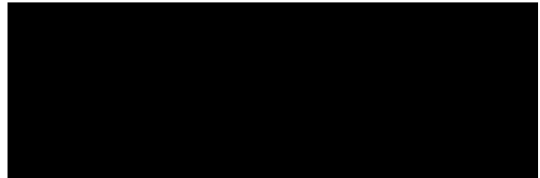
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25X1A 4. There was considerable interest in the fact that Apollo 9 had multi-spectral cameras even though no examples of the results were shown. [REDACTED] said that he had been told that the results of this effort were striking and I added that you were also impressed.

5. No other comments were made and the meeting was adjourned.



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